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More About the Mortgages.

THE ORDER'S TREAS

the 15th Additional Sp. m. by limiting the loan fund edge.

Again, by limiting the loan fund edge.

It takes only 5 and 10 cents to admit you at the 5th church Monday 22nd you at the 5th church to pay for help a deserving church to pay for will give you more money for building purposes, * * "" But Cashier R. T. Hill referred to this same subject, for on page 149 of the minutes of the 15th Annual Ses-

sion he says:

"If with this one bank, we have been able to purchase seventeen buildings yielding more than \$25,000 annual-

At the time that Cashier Hill made this statement, according to the offi-cial report on page 153, there were only (\$5,738 63) five thousand, seven hundred and thirty eight dollars and

order. What other money was in the bank belonged to the depositors.

Cashier Hill reported on page 154 the total amount due depositors of the bank was (\$91,978 04) ninety one thous and, nine hundred and savanty these

Another thing, if the money used to purchase the buildings of the order belonged to the depositors, then the buildings must stand liable for this amount, and it raises a very important question.

Mr. Frank Read, a representatives of the National View Company, who most excellently photographed the 5th Baptist Church not very long since. We had a most agreeable interview with Mr. Read, who is from Michigan. He spoke in the highest terms of the It is not at all surprising that Rev.

A QUESTION OF QUESTIONS.

What did he mean, or did he mean He nad paid the people from whom he had bought the ground. He had paid the contractors who had built the

Had he not paid them with the mon ey of the depositors of the bank and not with the money belonging to the Order?
If he had not done this, on whose

property does he hold these fifty thous-and dollars worth of mortgages, and why is it that they are not recorded in

ings were paid for there was an outstanding indebtedness due the depositors of the bank and that by rights, the baildings virtually belonged to these depositors instead of to the Order in

whose name they stand. worth one hundred thousand dollars, and the depositors are owed fifty to pay Rev. Browne fifty thousand dol-

when they took a step which has cost the organization hundreds of its mem-bers and caused dismay to be every-where manifest as a result of this dis-

The following extract from the Minates of the 15th Annual Session, page 81, reads like prophecy:
"Brother (F. D.) Banks stated that

lowed a raise of his salary to \$8000 a year, and by this means accomplish the same end, and save The complish the complex t

the worse it appears. Truly dark days have come to the organization.

Who will step into the breach and JOHN MITCHELL, JR.

Postponed.

the new Agricultural Building at the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Insti-tute, has been postponed from Wed-nesday, November 17th to Tuesday, November 80th; owing to quarantine egulations. The postponement is made at the urgent request of many prominent people who could not attend till after frost. Besides Secreta-

WEST END NOTES

Dr. J. L. M. Curry, and many of prominent people have promised to present on the 30th.

Useful and Respected Citizen Dead-Much Sickness- Personal Items.

out on mortgages.

Rev. Browne is quoted on page 72, commencing at the 11th line of the minutes of the 15th Annual Session.

"And again, where you have it in tives and friends attended. The casket

Supper was administered to a very large and appreciative congregation at the Second Baptist Church. All seemed to greatly enjoy the rich service.

Miss Maggie Davis of Philadelphia. is visiting friends and stopping at the residence of Mrs E. R. Moss, 1828 Taylor St.
Well, big "2" What is the matter with the "free state" Manchester. She

Miss P. L. Brock and Mr. W. E. Fer

advancement of our people, both in af-fluence, educationally and morally. W. W. Browne should be quoted on fluence, educationally and morally. page 80 of the Minutes of the 15th Annual Session: "I THINK you have got tuli success of our race. He is a distant relation of the Giddings of Ohio. On that property \$14,000."

We were greatly impressed with the We were greatly impressed with the earnest and dignified bearing of Mr. Read.

colored man or woman would cause his or her arrest or instant death. On last Monday evening it was quite a pitiable object to see marching be-hind Officer Jones, of the Manchester

his mind made up. He fined this colored girl \$5 and cost, and the white woman went free. How absurd!

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Fountain from criticism.

"The Grand Worthy Master stated that he did not want another cent added to his saiary. Adjourned until 4 P. M."

I handsgiving sermon by Rev. Walter H. Brooks, pastor of the 19th Street Baptist Church of Washington, D. C. at the First Baptist Church, Thursday Evening, November 25th at 8 p. m.

The date of the coming of Hon.

James Wilson, Secretary of Agriculture, to Tuskegee, Alabama. to open of Graham and Erin Sts.

A MAGISTRATE'S DECISION.

That Solemn Oath.-Did Squire Charles T. Jones Violate It.-His Sworn Obligation.

"I CHARLES T. JONES, do declare myself a citizen of the commonwealth of Virginia and do solemnly swear that I will support and maintain the Constitution and laws of the United States, and the Constitution and laws of the State of capital letters, "A Preacher Goes As-

ginia; that I recognize and accept the civil and political equality of all men before the law; and that I will faithfully form the duty of Justice of the Peace to the best of my ability. So help me God."

"Nor shall any State deny to any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of the laws."

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EXCESSIVE BAIL SHALL NOT BE REQUIRED nor excessive fines imposed, nor cruel and unusual punishints inflicted.—Article VIII Constitution of the United States.

The State Law.

That all men are by nature free and independent and have certain inherent rights, of which, when they enter into a state of society, they cannot, by any compact deprive or belilies, or that I would be pastor?

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Albert A. Alvis, (white) confessedly guilty of killing

Ephraim Scott (colored) charged with throwing a stone minutes of the 15th Annual Session.

"And again, where you have it in bank and anything should happen, look at these buildings, look at the ground, isn't that good for your money?"

And again, on page 98 of the minutes of the 15th Annual Session, he is quoted:

"Arein by limiting the loan fund"

"Arein by limiting the loan fund" Anthony and Charles Murray (colored) was tried before Jus- into the window of the house of Albert A. Alvis (white) was To

her pews.

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GDESS -- MEXICAN

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THE BANK'S CONDITION.

Of this amount he reported on the same page, only (\$25,92,17) twenty-five thousand, nine hundred and twenty-ince dollars and seventeen cents in the bank, showing that (\$60,843.87) sixty-six thousand, eight hundred and twenty-three dollars and eighty-seven cents were loaned out either in the form of mortgages or on notes.

Senators and Representatives alseared Representation Representation Representation Representation Repr of this amount, he reported on the same page of the minutes of the 15th annual Session mortgages to the mount of (\$50,428.99) lifty thousand, four hundred and twenty-eight dollars and minty-nine cents.

WHICH ARE SECURE?

Were these mortgages on the buildings of the order and if so, were they entered as such in a court of record; If not, then the depositors of the bank are not secure.

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There were present Lucy Jackson, Emma Childs, Florence Langston, Rose and Bessie Crutchfield, Carrie Lee, Lilie Cox, Anna Evans, Gertie Scott, Helen Peyton, Pearly Taylor, Rachell Creasy, Hennie Meade, Martha Ellett Levoy Meade, Georgia White, Charless Jackson, Samuel Carter, Clarence Carter, Clarence Carter, Florence Williams.

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FINED HER \$5 AND OOST,

Sister of the Murdered Men in Court—
Charred with Abusing the Murderer's
Daughter.

Manchester, Va., Nov. 17, 1897.

Swansboro, the place of the double tragedy on Saturday night, the 6th instant, and where the "po white folks" mestly reside, is the topic of general conversation among all classes of people The white folks living in that veinity, it is said, are all well armed and acting as officers. They are constantly making threats and all indications show that one grim look from a colored man or woman would cause.

Sewarder Gorman's successor.

Miss Paige to Wed.

The future intentions of Miss Rueby Page, which became known this week in the fashionable circle, have created no little stir and there are elaborated preparations being made in high-life or great actions show which an ononces are proposed in harmony and according on the Mary and where the "po white folks" or we before. As thirty-four votes and conversation among all classes of people The white folks living in that without them, it would seem that Baltimore will have twenty one of stantly making threats and all indications show that one grim look from a colored man or woman would cause.

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CANADA AND THE COMMISSION. It is not thought likely that the con-The organization had accordingly voted away all of its property in a few hours to Browne the individual in pay ment for his one dollar copyright.

We have shown that these financial statements made to the brotherhood was for the purpose of impressing upon them a false idea of their prosperity.

Could the Grand Fountain afford then to do as it did do? Was the Order able to give away so much of its revenues, and were the delegates advised of the true condition of affairs when they took a step which has cost the organization hundreds of its members of the organization had accordingly Swansboro.

On questioning Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Williams (the elder of the Murray of each government, and, of course, and, of course, and, of course, the first she had been arrested for abusing Mrs. Bager (the daughter of A A. Alvis, who murdered Charles and Anthony Murray) on the Hull Street Car line Saurday night. Alvis swore out a warrant and Officer Jones served it.

Tuesday a large crowd assembled in the Mayor's tourt to witness the case. The testimony given by the accuser division will oppose any reduction in the duties on any Canadian agricultural products which compets with those of our own farmers. The Canadian officials and the ladies who are with the major had his mind made up. He fined this colored girl \$5 and cost, and the white

Postmaster Gary has been highly commended for his action in issuing a fraud order against John Wedderburn, John Wedderburn & Co., and the National Recorder, their respectively.

Sweet day, so cool, so calm, so bright, Bridal of earth and sky, The dew shall weep thy fall to-night; For thou must die! per, but he regards it as having been merely the performance of duty to protect the public from frauds who make use of the mails. Evidence even stronger than that which brought Sweet spring, of days and roses made bout the recent disbarrment from Whose sweets around us lie, ractice before the Patent Office of Thy days depart, thy roses fade; Wedderburn, for fraud, was brought out at the Post Office hearing. All Only a sweet and holy soul

ORAIRMAN CANNON'S DETERMINATION.

SOCIETY COLUMN.

MASONIC NOTES.

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It is thought by those who ought to know that the President's action in issuing a proclamation exempting Mexican vessels in ballast and steam

Pollard—Mosby—Married Wednesday night, Nov. 10, '97, 9 a. m. at the residence of Rev. Richard Wells, Mr. Bolling Pollard and Miss Maggie Mosby after which a recention was tandon. Pollard Mossy Married Wednes- taio. Stewards; H. Braxton, Chaplain; day night, Nov. 10, '97, 9 a. m. at the resi | Samuel Richardson, Tiler.

DEATHS.

Asleep in Jesus, blessed sleep. By her son, CHRISTOPHER SMITH GONE TO REST

Whose sweets around us lie,

the Post Office authorities.

ORAIRMAN CANNON'S DETERMINATION.

Chairman Cannon, of the House A.

Scretary; D. J. Chavers, Treasurer; F. Robinson, Senior deacon; C. Jack-son, Junior deacon; Robinson and Cus-

Mexican vessels in ballast and steam wessels from the payment of tonnage duties usually imposed upon foreign vessels in our ports, wil give American coal complete control of the Mexican market. It was an act of reciprocity, as Mexicon market be same exemption in favor of our vessels.

Senator Gorman's Successor.

The probable choice of the republican majority of the Maryland legicle.

The future intestine the future findered wells, Mr. Bolling Pollard and Miss Maggie Mosby after which a reception was tendered them at their future residence, 812 St. Paul St. Mr. Frank Scott, cousin of the bride and one of Manchester's popular young men acted as best man. The presents were numerous and costly is a Mexicon market below. Richardson, Tiler.

Samuel Richardson, Tiler.

Friday night, 5th inst., Common-wealth Lodge met with full attendance thomas Matthews, Worshipful Master; Samuel Lewis, Senior Warden; Edward Randolph, Junior Warden; Harding The contest will be closer than the Bike that Miss Sadie Stith not five and see who is successful for the Pythand Review of our vessels.

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On last Monday evening it was quite a pitiable object to see marching behind Officer Jones, of the Manchester force, Mrs. Murray and her two daughters. It set the people at a start and inquiry after inquiry was made, and many expressed their opinion of how these poor, innocent looking people were being treated by the whites in Swansboro.

On questioning Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Williams (the e'der of the Murray)

It is not thought likely that the conferences now going on between Hon. John A Kasson, Special Commissioner force, Mrs. Murray and her two daughters of the Canadian government, will result in the speedy negotiation of a treaty of reciprocity between the U.S. and the speedy negotiation of a treaty of reciprocity between the U.S. and a good Christian and died in full triumph of faith, and was also a member of the above named church. She leaves one son and a host of friends to mourn their loss.

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Friday night, 12th instant, Henrico,

The Calanthe Court Club of Church

business was disposed of. Sylvia Court held quite an interest

since its organization. Much of the

ing meeting Tuesday evening at Rich-mond Hall. Mr. Thomas W. Mitchell is Worthy Counselor and has been

RICHMOND, VA., October 8, 1897

Third Street Baptist Church,
Dear Brethren:—In stating my position I beg leave to submit the following:—That I now dislike sectarianism
and love the simplicity, divinity and
catholicity of the only creed required
in the Word of God, that Jesus Christ
is the Son of God. Acts 8:37 also 16:31
I disprove the inconsistent practices of
my Baptist brethren, viz: that of exchanging of pulpits, and fraternal

THAT CHANGE OF FAITH. As none sur Junis, and being allowed both by the civil and divine law to so worship and follow the Lord Jesus ac Word, that I might enjoy a conscience nited with the Christian Organization has appointed the following named Sir Knights to constitute his staff, viz:

tion. Brethren, VILILATE ETORATE.

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ

The young men are anxious to have

—Rev. J. W. Carr, D. D., pastor of 2nd Baptist Church, Indianapolis, Ind-passed through the city this week en-

1897. Byrd Prillerman, President Miss Mary J. Jones, Secretary.

A Grand Entertainment. tainment at the Ebenezer Beptist Church Monday, Nov. 22d, 1897, by the

A BAPTIST PREACHER

| 15:9; Phil. 2:5-8 | Brother ministers, we need more of the spirit of the Apostles and our Master. Let us get on our knees more; get self out of the way, entirely in the back-ground so we can preach the Gospel of Christ to the saving of sinners and edification of saints.

Elder Nash Replies to His

Accusers.

should characterize the ministeria and official Baptist fraternity of this I ask an intelligent reading publi to please turn to the "Virginia Baptist" of November 6th, first page, sixth column and mark the beading in large

and official Baptist fraternity of this great city?

And let me say to the brethren who composed that council that your action in uniting with the church to revoke my credentials, amount to but very little. The honor of which I am most proud is God gave and man can not annul, nor take it from me.

The church granted me my letter of dismission. I was not put away from the Baptist by neither church nor council; but of my own volition, loving God and His Word more than I did the Baptists. I left that I might follow Christ more closely. I thank God that by His grace I am what I am—a Christian. I am well satisfied, feeling confident I have the authority of God's Word for my name, faith and practice; and expect to live and die a Christian God bless you kind reader.

the Officers and Members, Third Street Baptist Church

Misses Albuna, Racilia, Marion and

and we have organized a Christian Church with 20 members to be known as the First Christian Church (colored) of Richmond, Va.

We at present worship in Hayes' Hall; but (not wishing to trespass) at our earliest convenience we will go further from 3d Street Baptist Church. Our aim is to love God with all one. Our aim is to love God with all our hearts and our neighbor as ourselves We believe in the fatherhood of God and brotherhood of all Christians, without discrimination or discimula-

W. E. NASH.

HE SAW THE LIGHT. Dear reader, as an honest man, after eeing the light, I could no longer re-nain a Baptist. Hence, after much eading of the Word and spending many hours in tears on my knees before Ged, I was constrained to accept the

then the Lord through His Word and pirit made me a Christian, believing

---Miss Elizabeth Dodson, who has been attending her sick sister, Mrs. R. A. Jackson, left for home in Washington this week.

ENERLED TO PRAY.

Sunday evening at 5:30, the men gathered at the rooms to join their brethren in the week of prayer. The origin of the work was given by our compliment.

evidence of forgiveness is not in voices "Why the Jews were a strong people," shooting stars, thunder and lightning, President Clifton Cabel will make an

I am said to be very peculiar because I object to being called Reverend. I do object for the following good rea-

University club. Admission, 10 ets. Festival in the basement the entire

THANKSGIVING EXERCISES

MAGNO'S MESSAGE.

Rejoicing and Weeping in

MRS. SHARKS' DEMISE.

Found Dead in His Bed OPERETTA: "THE KINGDOM OF MOTHER GOOSE." REPEATED.

Jackson Ward Leads in Marriages-The Decision of the Contest—A Would-be Row in Zion-Things Seen and Heard in the Ward.

It was somewhat chilly last Sunday, but it was impossible to enter some of Church were very interesting and quite a large gathering assembled.

Rev John Jasper filled his pulpit on last Sunday at his usual hours and proclaimed the Word of God to a large

The congregation of the Moore Street Church listened to an excellent sermon on last Sunday morning. The Rev. spoke of the "Gospel, as a treasure given in earthen vessels" He declared this treasure imperishable and free to all men.

The Ebenezer Baptist Church was packed to overflowing on last Sunday morning, the occasion being the funeral sermons of Mr. Spencer Coles and little Mary Moss. The pastor, Rev. Wells preached a very impressive sermon and there was much weeping Last Monday evening closed the eventful career of Mrs. Sarah Sharks who resided on North St. Peter St. She was known by the young and old, as the only baker of molasses cakes in our section and probably in the city. She will be missed by men, women and children who join in the tune:

What a pity! Mrs. Sharks is gone To a world that's far away;

But can we e'er forget the work, Done by her in her day? fier bands were always busy In mixing flour and molasses, Which made the nicest puddings For both the lads and lassies,

Farewell, Mrs. Sharks, farewell.

Willie Walker, a young man of Nayy Hillwas found dead in his bed on last Wednesday morning. Death knocks at every door. The Operetta known as the Kingdom of Mother Goose, will be repeated on next Monday night at the True Reformers' Hall. It is composed of some

very excellent talent. Admission 15 It has been often said, that if you want to marry, go to Jackson Ward. We agree in part, for they are surely leading in marriages; but our old bachelors and old maids are still singjust as we thought. The Ebenezer Baptist Church Choir won the first prize in that contest, and the Fifth Street won the second. We must say

on last Sunday morning. The deacon wanted to say something when the pastor urged the choir to sing. It is said that the brother started to the choir gallery. Brethren, live lovely.

An appropriation has been made for the continuation of the Public Schools 125 years to spend an evening with

many a boy and girl is looking with fond expectation to the joy it brings. Miss Annie Woodson continues quite sick at her residence on North 5th St.

while she is away.

FIELD BAPTIST OHUROH, Mrs. Lucy Fletcher Not a Member of the

Rev. Henry Williams of Petersburg,

19th Street Baptist Church.

Gilfield Baptist Church 1239 22nd St., N. W.,

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 18, '97. Rev. Henry Williams, Jr.,

as you have now learned, that Mrs. Luappeal in behalf of the boys. Special cy Fletcher is not a member

> Moreover, if you had taken the necessary pains to find out, you would have also learned, that you were sending your threats to, and making demands upon a crazy woman, for I now tunate woman in question is a poor maniac, and has been in an insane asyum for a very long while.

Our point is that while these build

not any of those buildings are left to The organization had accordingly

grocery store. the proposition which he was going to offer was to the effect that from this

Rev. F. W. Williams of the Richmond Theological Seminary will preach at the Rising Mount Zion Baptist Church, Sunday, November 21, 1897 at 8 o'clock. All are invited out Come prepared to aid young men of the above named Institute.

mail matter addressed either to John Wedderburn & Co., or the National Recorder will be stamped "Fraudulent" and returned to the writers.

Newspapers which continue to print Wedderburn & Co's. advertisement Wedderburn & Co's. advertisement may find themselves called to book by the Post Office authorities.

Bac, the wender worker that never fly:

While flowers decay, and seasons roll, It cannot die.

To quit tobacco Spit and Smoke lour Life Away.

To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wender worker that makes

propriations Committee, doesn't intend that the work of his committee shall furnish any excuse for lengthening the coming session of Congress. He has announced all of the sub-committees and notified the members to re-

Ananias Jefferson, the son of Mrs. Mattie Curry, died at the residence of his mother, 716 Catherine Street, Sunday, November 7th in the 19th year of day, November 7th in the 19th year of 22nd.

And beauty charms the eye,

ovening at Johnson's Hall, Foushee Street, between Broad and Grace Sts. All are requested to be present early.

Brother Past Master William John son of Charity Lodge, 25, is sick at his residence, 1001 North 6th St. We hope residence, 1001 North 6th St. We hope him a speedy recovery.

Wednesday night, 3rd inst., Friendship Lodge, 19th met. Attendance, above the average. W. C. Tilton, Worshipful Master, Scott, Senior Warden; Bentley, Junior Warden; J. R. Griffin, Scretary: D. J. Chavers. Treasurer:

Assistant Adjutant General, Thomas W. Mitchell; Commissary General, Jesse Scruggs; Brigade Signal Cfficer, E Fountain Robinson; Brigade Mustering Officer, D Wade Johnson; Brigade Quarter Master General, Augustus Taylor; Surgeon General, S. H. Dismond; Chaplain, W. F. Graham; Bentley, Junior Warden; J. R. Griffin, Scretary: D. J. Chavers. Treasurer:

Wednesday night, 10th instant Trin ity Lodge met. H. H. Allen, Worship-lui Master; Banks, Senior Warden; H.

PYTHIAN NOTES.

The ledies of Virginia Court Club are requested to meet at the residence of Mrs, Anna Taylor, 120 West Hill St,

Tuesday night, the 2nd, Solomon Lodge met. Meeting was good, and District Deputy was present officially. W. H. Booker, Master.

Thursday night, Richmond Lodge, 60 of which J. P. Graham, is Worshipful Master met, and a good meeting was founded.

Chief of Staff, Waiker H. Johnson Assistant Adjutant General, Thomas Camp, J. Edward Bright. be with you all, VALE,

light. I struggled hard against my conviction. I had been a Baptist all my days (81 years) believing fully in the faith and practice of said denomi-

ion." Monday night at the First Baptist Church.

—Mrs. Annie Jackson, Hair Dresser, has moved to 510 North Adam St., in old Quaker building, second floor.

—Mr. J. H. Harrison of Fort Missoula, Mont., was in the city and called on us.

—Rev. J. W. Carr, D. D., pastor of 2nd Baptist Church, Indianapolis, Ind. passed through the city this week and the last Sunday of the last Sunday of the last Sunday. That young man claims that this is the last year he will have to make her a christmas present. We guess he means it. Bunday about 95, hardly room for means it. Don't you know she will be married on the 15th proximo? Yes, then Kensovers, I the boys will take heed to sehool to him 29 years ago. Brother the boys will take heed to sehool to him 29 years ago. Brother the boys will be waster has begun to call for what they said to them, success has already come to them. The boys will be ready come to them. The boys will be the next thing in order. Next Thursday is Thanksgiving Day. Let us get right, stop tattling and give

R. A. Jackson, left for home in Washington this week.

—Mrs. Robt. A. Jackson, we are glad to say, is out again after a severe attack of the fever. She was under the skillful treatment of Dr. Day.

—Rev. W. S. Holland, pastor of the 3rd Baptist Church of Hampton called on us. He has been called and has accepted the pastorate of the Ebenezer Baptist Church at Providence, R. I.

—Miss Amanda A. Drummond of West Duval St., has returned home from New York on a short visit to her mother. She is looking well.

—We have received the programme of the West Virginia Teachers' Assoriciation at the Courthouse at Point Pleasant. West Va. November 25.

on Sunday evening, November 21st.

Be sure to go early.

If you keep a horse, cow or a dog, send for Dr Humphreys' Veterinary Manual and learn about their treatment and care. Mailed free—address ing at Richmond Hall. The attendance was large and a vast amount of business was disposed of.

Shooting stars, thunder and lightning, visions, dreams, nor certain persons singing or praying in public worship. Obedience the evidence—Mark 16:16; Acts 2:38; I John 4:7-8; II Cor 5:17; I John 2:3-4; Romans 8:18; I John 3:14

Must Not Be Called Rev.

"Why the Jews were a strong people," President Clifton Cabel will make an appeal in behalf of the boys. Special music. Free to all.

Our week of prayer closes Sunday at 1 John 2:3-4; Romans 8:18; I John 3:14

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Thy days depart, thy roses fade;
For thou must die!

Only a sweet and holy soul
Hath charms that never fly:
While flowers decay, and seasons roll, It cannot die.

Den't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.
To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take Nortage.

The court though in its infancy bids their meeting Sunday, Nov. 21st, '97, and Bishop are divine names, more honorable than any man can give. Man Bishop are divine names, more honorable than any man can give. Man Bishop are divine names, more honorable than any man can give. Man Bishop are divine names, more honorable than any man can give. Man Bishop are divine names, more honorable than any man can give. Man Bishop are divine names, more honorable than any man can give. Man Bishop are divine names, more honorable than any man can give. Man Bishop are divine names, more honorable than any man can give. Man Bishop are divine names, more honorable than any man can give. Man Bishop are divine names, more honorable than any man can give. Man Bishop are divine names, more honorable than any man can give. Man Bishop are divine names, more honorable than any man can give. Man Bishop are divine names, more honorable than any man can give. Man Bishop are divine names, more honorable than any man can give. Man Bishop are divine names, more honorable than any man can give. Man Bishop are divine names, more honorable than any man can give. Man Bishop are divine names, more honorable than any man can give. Man Bishop are divine names, more honorable than any man can give. Man Bishop are divine names, more honorable than any man can give. Man Bishop are divine names, more honorable than any man can give. Man Bishop are divine names, more honorable than any man can give. Man Bishop are divine names, more honorable than any man can give man demon dever man demon divided to be present at any early meeting for men at our rooms at 9 a m., Thanksgiving. Come from you retrod. All members of the Athenian Social Club are requested to b

Birth Day Reception. The children of our well known townsman, Mr. O M Steward, tendered their parents a birth-day reception at their residence on P Street on Thursday night, the 11th inst. The children who form a goodly company by themselves, are Sergeant Charles E., Lieutenant Samuel B., and Otway M., Jr., Misses Albuna Racilia, Marion and

These were reinforced by a large number of invited guests who were countifully regaled with home-made duction of which articles Mrs. Steward has become quite famous. has become quite famous.

Some of the most enjoyable features of the occasion were an address of welcome by Mr. O. M. Steward, the elder; the reading of a poem by Miss Racilia prepared for the occasion by her fath er; the chanting of a hymn of praise and the presentation of congratulary

If a preacher had gone astray there should have been a feeling of sympathy and regret. Do those resolutions drafted by the eloquent B. D. savor of a Christ-like spirit, which

The presents were various and valuable. Mr. Steward was presented by with people who repudiate all creeds and traditions of men and accept the New Testament, the Word of God alone for their rule of faith and practice, with Supreme love to God and ill will to no supreme love to God ovely china set from her children and many handsome presents of china and other valuable articles from friends Amongst those who brought presents were Mrs. Evans Payne, Mrs. Emma. Owens and Miss Dolly Brown.

Expressions of gratification on the

ing all men from the age of 16 years to

OUR WREE OF PRAYER.

THE OPENING OF THE WEEK OF PRAYER.

them and take a part in the work.

hearty. Music and parlor games were the order and were indulged in until

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

that in our judgement the judges gave a correct decision. Members' meeting was held last Friother young men to join them in the work therefore they have decided to have their next meeting, December Oth at 8 o'clock, at the rooms, invit-

hrough the month of December. It could not have turned out otherwise from the way those parents and teach-ers did pray. "The prayers of the righteous prevaileth much." Programme last Friday was very in-teresting. Church Hill carried off the Our Saturday evening's Bible clas is still improving in attendance, yet there is room. We would be pleased to have you attend at 5 o'clock. Rev. D. W. Davis will make you welcome.

That young man seems to think it is a good idea to visit his girl's mother,

A LUNATIO EXPELLED FROM GIL-

Va , in reply to a statement made in last week's issue of the PLANET by the

Dear Brother:-If you had asked me Lam peculiar says another, I don't believe in God talking to man. Israel could not stand it—Exodus 20:19; Deut. 5:25, The people heard a voice from heaven in Christ's day. Some said it thundered—John 12:29 Genuine evidence of forgiveness is not in a stand in the same to the explanation of the Sunday to the 19th Street Baptist Church of Washington, when you were sending out your protests, I could have told mass-meeting for parents at the Fifth Street Baptist Church, Sunday. November 21, 3:30 o'clock. Special address by Rev. W. H. Stokes applied to the 19th Street Baptist Church of Washington, when you were sending out your protests, I could have told you that she does not. Had you put the question to me at Boston, or had you written our church hafasa this

First, Reverend is found only one place in the Bible—Psalm 111:9 It is applied to God and not to man. Elder and Bishop are divine names, more preach a special sermon. Music for her, while she is crazy, and has no membership in a Washington Church, let God judge. I sympathize with you